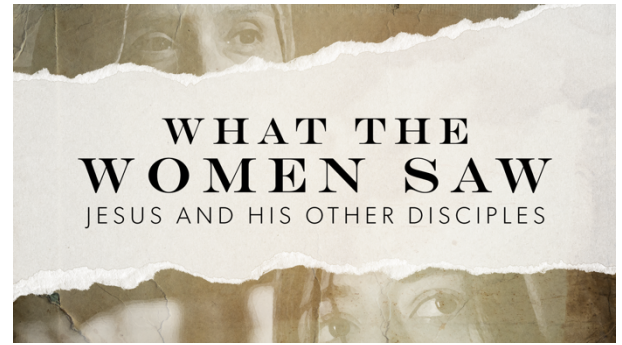


**What The Women Saw: Jesus and His Other Disciples**

**2 – Elizabeth Saw Hope**

**Luke 1:5-25; 39-45; 57-66**



1. What part of Elizabeth’s story connected most personally to you? Was any part of her waiting especially familiar, or convicting?
2. When you hear the word “hope” what do you think of? Did our time in God’s Word reshape or expand your understanding of biblical hope?
3. Read Luke 1:5-7. What details about Elizabeth and Zechariah’s life make their season of waiting even more surprising?
4. Read Psalm 13:1-6. How does David move from “How long, O Lord?” to “I will sing to the Lord”? What does that transition teach us about honest lament, and steady hope?
5. Which of God’s promises in the sermon, speak most directly into your current waiting?  
God promises...
  - ...his presence (Joshua 1:5)
  - ...his care (1Peter 5:7)
  - ...his goodness (Lamentations 3:25)
  - ...his timing (Galatians 6:9)
  - ...his attention (Matthew 6:8)
  - ...his faithfulness (Psalm 138:8)
6. Where in your life does it feel like the “underside of the tapestry?” How does God’s character sustain hope for you in that?
7. Elizabeth rejoiced not merely because she was pregnant, but because her child was part of God’s redemptive work. What helps us keep God’s bigger story in view, even when we receive personal blessings?
8. Why is it so important that our hope is ultimately anchored in Christ, not in the gifts or outcomes we want?
9. How does the coming of Christ give hope right now, even if your circumstances haven’t changed?
10. What would it look like to celebrate Christ as we should this Christmas, not by ignoring your waiting, but by meeting him in it?

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**When I see the hope that Elizabeth saw...**

**...I know God has not forgotten me (v. 5-7; 24-25)**

**...which convinces me of his perfect plan (v. 8-17)**

**...leads me to trust in his Word (v. 18-23; 57-64)**

**...and celebrate his work in my life (v. 39-45; 65-66)**